

APPENDIX B.

SENATE BILLS—HISTORY OF IN THE SENATE.

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 1, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating \$120,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the general revenue, to pay the mileage and per diem of members and per diem of officers and employes of the Thirty-first Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	13
Reported favorably and be not printed	19
Taken up; constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	19
Reported engrossed	54
Received from House	50
Signed	52
Enrolled bill in full	72

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the sum of \$20,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the contingent expenses of the Thirty-first Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	13
Reported favorably and be not printed	19
Taken up; constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	20
Reported engrossed	54
Received from House	50
Signed	52
Enrolled bill in full	72

By Senator Cofer;

Senate bill No. 3, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to better regulate the assessment and collection of taxes in cities and towns which have heretofore abolished, or may hereafter abolish, their corporate existence."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	13
Reported favorably, with amendments	137
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	233
Reported engrossed	257
Received from House	637
Signed	656
Enrolled bill in full	699

By Senator Bryan:

Senate bill No. 4, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish the West Texas State Normal College, and providing that the State Board of Education shall control the same."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	13
Reported favorably, with amendments	106
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the protection of stock raisers, farmers and horticulturists, providing for the destruction of wolves and other wild animals, to make an appropriation therefor, to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising	14
Reported favorably, with amendments	220
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	610
Reported engrossed	698
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 6, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prescribe the time and fix the terms for the holding of the terms of court in and for the Sixty-fourth Judicial District of Texas, and to conform all writs and process from such courts to such changes, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 14
Reported favorably and be not printed 52
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 51
Reported engrossed..... 72
Final passage vote rescinded; read third time, and passed..... 61
Received from House..... 226
Signed 238
Reported enrolled..... 257

By Senators Paulus and Kellie:

Senate bill No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the racing of running horses in the State of Texas, and to establish a State Racing Commission, and prescribing its powers and duties."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 14
Reported adversely..... 788

By Senators Holsey and Thomas:

Senate bill No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit State Representatives and Senators, members of Congress and United States Senators from holding offices, while acting as an attorney, or in the employment of any public service corporation, and prescribing penalties therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 14
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority..... 440
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hayter:

Senate bill No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the itinerant vending of medicines, nostrums and appliances for the treatment of disease, injury or deformity, and to provide for the licensing of vending of the same, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 14

Reported adversely, with favorable substitute 386
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Thomas:

Senate bill No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 2467, 2468 and 2469, relative to the salaries of the county treasurers of the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 14
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Ward and Harper:

Senate bill No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring patent and other medicines offered for sale and sold any person, in his own behalf, or as agent for any other person, or any firm or corporation, to be manufactured, compounded and prepared under the personal direction and supervision of a qualified pharmacist, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of such act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 14
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3231, Chapter 11, Title 62, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, relating to the verdict of justice in civil cases, so as to provide that in the trial of civil cases nine members of the jury concurring may render a verdict in the district court, and five jurors concurring may render a verdict in the county court and courts of justices of the peace, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 14
Reported adverse majority, favorable minority..... 145
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the protection of the forests of Texas, to establish and create a State Commission of Forestry, to consist of the Governor, a member of the State Tax Commission, the State Game and Fish Commissioner, the Commissioner of Agriculture, a member of the United States Forest Service, and one practical lumberman, to declare the county game and fish wardens forest

wardens; to declare constables, justices of the peace, sheriffs and deputy sheriffs ex-officio deputy forest wardens, and to provide for the appointment of deputy forest wardens by the Governor, to exempt from taxation for a period of ten years land which shall be planted in trees, to appropriate the sum of \$500 annually for the purpose of carrying out the provision of this act, to create a forest reserve fund, and to provide for the payment of all fines, forfeitures and penalties arising under the provisions of this act into said fund."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 14
Reported back to Committee on Agricultural Affairs 402
Reported favorably and be not printed 833
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act to abolish the Higgins Independent School District and to incorporate an independent school district to be known as the Higgins Independent School District."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 14
Reported favorably and be not printed 100
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 627
Reported engrossed..... 698
Received from House..... 1073
Signed 1160
Reported enrolled 1296

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 15, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 994a, Chapter 12, Title 27, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 15
Reported favorably 54
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 238
Reported engrossed 257
Received from House..... 673
Signed 694
Enrolled bill in full..... 711

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 16, A bill to be entitled

"An Act relating to and regulating irrigation ditches and companies, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation.. 15
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Hudspeth, Perkins and Senter:

Senate bill No. 17, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of an act of the Thirtieth Legislature of Texas, approved March 26, 1907, and being Chapter 42 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, and entitled 'An Act to prohibit railway companies or telegraph or telephone companies, or the receivers or lessees thereof, or their officers, agents or servants in this State from carrying persons free of charge or giving to or for any persons or passengers a free pass or authority to travel or pass free or to have property or messages transported over any lines owned, operated or controlled by any such company in this State; and also prohibiting any of said companies, their officers, agents, employes, receivers or lessees from discriminating among persons in rates and service; prohibiting any person not excepted from using or enjoying such free pass or transportation, or from becoming the beneficiary of any discrimination and prescribing suitable penalties, fines and imprisonment for the violations of the provisions of this act,' providing for prosecutions, fixing venue of suits and appropriating any penalties that may be collected hereunder, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 15
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Alexander and Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 18, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring void the sale or transfer of portions of stocks of merchandise otherwise than in the ordinary course of trade in the usual and regular prosecution of the seller's or transferrer's business, and sales or transfers of entire stocks of merchandise in bulk, unless made in compliance with certain named conditions and regulations, and prescribing such conditions and regulations according to which such sales may be made valid, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 16

Reported favorably	127
Read second time; pending.....	207
Taken up; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, amended and passed..	216
Reported engrossed	227
Received from House with amendments	419
Senate refused to concur in House amendments and Conference Committee requested	472
House grants request for Conference Committee	476
Conference Committee report adopted by Senate.....	482
Conference Committee report adopted by House.....	504
Signed	521
Enrolled bill in full.....	550

By Senators Bryan, Mayfield, Holsey, Terrell of Bowie and Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 19, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the location and establishment of a factory for the manufacture of cotton bagging, cotton sacks and cotton twine by the Board of Management of the State penitentiary, for the employment of managing experts and of certain State convicts in the operation of said factory, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Penitentiaries....	16
Reported favorably	178
Read second time and made special order for February 8th.....	208
Taken up; pending with amendment	255
Taken up; pending amendments and bill recommitted.....	262
Reported favorably; with amendments and be not printed.....	321
Taken up and made special order..	338
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	383
Reported engrossed.....	444
Received from House.....	684
Signed	755
Enrolled bill in full.....	843

By Senator Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 20, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1316, Chapter 12, Title 30, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to charges and instruction of juries."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 16
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 21, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of agricultural experiment stations in Tom Green and El Paso counties, and making appropriation, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs... 16
Reported favorably

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 22, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the United States to acquire title to land on Galveston Island, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 23, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting Dallas county the Fourteenth, Forty-fourth and Sixty-eighth Judicial Districts; providing for the present judges of the Fourteenth and Forty-fourth Judicial Districts to continue to hold their offices for the term for which they were elected, the appointment of a suitable person by the Governor as judge of the Sixty-eighth Judicial District to hold until the next general election; that said courts shall not exercise criminal jurisdiction and shall exercise concurrent jurisdiction in all civil cases and proceedings of which district courts are given jurisdiction by the Constitution and laws of the State; that the present district clerk of Dallas county shall continue to hold his office for the term for which he is elected, and providing for filling vacancy should one occur in said office; providing for making up a docket for the Sixty-eighth Judicial District Court from the dockets of the other two courts, equalizing the dockets of the three courts as near as may be; prescribing how cases shall be numbered and filed in the several courts, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.....	16
Reported favorably	52
Read second time; ordered engrossed	114-115
Read third time, and passed.....	124
Reported engrossed	127
Received from House.....	167
Signed	184
Reported enrolled	211

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 24, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a State Banking Board; to define its powers and duties; to provide for a depositor's guaranty fund under the supervision of said board, and fixing the conditions and terms by which banks and trust companies may avail their depositors of the benefit of said fund; fixing the amounts to be paid for the creation of said fund and the manner and time of payments; fixing the manner of management and administration of said funds; authorizing certain advertising privileges to such banks, and providing a penalty for the unauthorized use of such advertising privileges, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History	16
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority.....	341
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 25, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define the offense of shooting at or into, or throwing any missile at or into any railroad train or any part thereof, or derailing or attempting to derail any railroad train, to constitute such an offense a felony and to prescribe a punishment therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	16
Reported adversely.....	784

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 26, A bill to be entitled "An Act to remove clouds from title to land arising from claims for back taxes, and to authorize the Comptroller of the State of Texas to make settlements of such claim and to issue certificates of such settlement, and to authorize the record of such certificates, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office	17
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Reported favorably and be not printed	781
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 27, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the manufacture of intoxicating liquor in this State, or the exchange, barter or sale thereof therein, except for medicinal, mechanical or sacramental purposes, and the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	17
Reported adverse majority; minority No. 1 favorable; minority No. 2 adverse with favorable substitute.	147
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Bryan:

Senate bill No. 28, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the establishment of two additional experimental stations for the purpose of conducting experiments in agriculture, horticulture and forestry, said stations to be located west of the ninety-eighth meridian."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs.....	17
Reported favorably	249
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Paulus, Murray, Real, Meachum, Hudspeth, Willacy, Watson, Terrell of McLennan, Ward, Weinert, Kellie, Peeler, Hume, Veale:

Senate bill No. 29, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1050, and to repeal Article 1051, Chapter 23, Title 27, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.....	17
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority.....	52-53
Called up; made special order for February 1st	183
Read second time; majority report adopted; ordered engrossed; engrossment vote reconsidered; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	196
Reported engrossed.....	209
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Veale (by request):

Senate bill No. 30, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3142, and to repeal Articles 3143 and 3144, of Chapter 1, Title 62, of the Revised Stat-

utes of 1895, relative to exemption from jury service."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 17
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Veale (by request):

Senate bill No. 31, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3139 of Chapter 1, Title 62, of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1895, relating to the qualifications of jurors," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 17
Reported adversely 126

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 32, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 31 of Chapter 104 of the Acts passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to define and provide for organizing and disciplining the militia; to prescribe the duties of the Governor, the Adjutant General and all officers and enlisted men thereof; to define military offences; to provide for the trial and punishment thereof; to provide for the pay, transportation and subsistence of the militia when called into active service, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' by increasing the Assistant Adjutant General's salary to \$1500 per year, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs..... 17
Reported favorably..... 145
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 425
Reported engrossed..... 480
(Died in House.)

By Senator Thomas:

Senate bill No. 33, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 36 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Texas, relative to the office of county superintendent."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 17
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 34, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment location, building and maintenance of a State Training School for Children, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 17
Reported adversely..... 398

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 35, A bill to be entitled "An Act to exempt the county of Val Verde from the provisions and operations of Articles 5002 to 5042, inclusive, of Chapter 6, Title 102, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, amended by the Acts of the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Legislatures, relating to the inspections of hides and animals and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising 17
Reported favorably and be not printed 145
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 197
Reported engrossed..... 209
Received from House, with amendments 261
House amendments concurred in.... 262
Signed 336
House requests bill returned for correction 353
Request granted..... 354
Received from House, with amendments 368
House amendments concurred in.... 413
Signed 438
Reported enrolled..... 444

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 36, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish a School of Technology and Agriculture for the instruction of white persons in the branches of mechanical, electrical, civil, textile and mining engineering, engineering chemistry, agriculture, mechanical arts and the natural sciences connected therewith, at Weatherford, Texas, upon conditions named; providing for the appointment of a board of regents and defining their powers and duties; making an appropriation to carry out the purposes of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 18
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority..... 365
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 37, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to amend Sections 1, 12 and 20 of Chapter 128 of the Acts of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, entitled 'An Act providing the mode by which horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle may be prevented from running at large in certain counties or in any subdivision of the said counties, so that when an election under said law should be in favor of the stock law, that the certificate thereto shall be prima facie evidence of a compliance with the law to put same in force,' also to provide for the punishment of any one violating the provisions of said act, and adding thereto Section 20a and Section 20b, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 18
 Reported favorably..... 100
 Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 263
 Reported engrossed 313
 (Died in House.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 38, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Mertzon Independent School District in Irion county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 18
 Reported favorably and be not printed 100
 Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 105
 Reported engrossed..... 119
 Received from House..... 125
 Signed 167
 Reported enrolled..... 189

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 39, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer upon the county court of Brewster county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to said court under the Constitution and general statutes of Texas; to define the jurisdiction of said court; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to said change; to fix the time of holding court, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 18
 Reported favorably and be not printed 71
 Senate rule suspended; read second

time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 62
 Reported engrossed..... 93
 Received from House..... 167
 Signed 184
 Reported enrolled..... 211

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 40, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for compulsory attendance upon the public, private and parochial schools of children between the ages of seven and seventeen."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 18
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 41, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1194 of Chapter 4 of Title 30 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, and providing for an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 45
 Reported majority favorable with amendments; minority adverse... 209
 Read second time; majority report adopted; amendment pending; made special order for February 17th 368
 Taken up; amendment pending; made special order for February 23d 384
 Taken up; amended, and refused to engross 519

By Senators Mayfield and Meachum:

Senate bill No. 42, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the buying and selling of pools or receiving or making bets on horse racing; to prohibit the leasing of premises for pool rooms, and to provide a penalty for its violation, and to repeal the act approved May 2, 1905, and published and known as Chapter 165 of the laws of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3, and adding thereto Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 50 of the General Laws of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, entitled "An Act to prohibit the buying and selling of pools or receiving or making bets on horse racing; to prohibit leasing premises for pool rooms and to provide a penalty for its violation," prohibiting horse racing

and betting on horse racing on Sunday,' and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 45

Reported majority adverse, with favorable substitute; minority adverse 239
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 43, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the commissioners courts of the several counties of Texas to create and establish navigation districts to improve rivers, creeks and streams, to construct and maintain canals and waterways to permit of navigation or in aid thereof; to order and hold elections for the purpose of voting on the establishment of such districts and authorizing the issuance of bonds and levy of tax, and to issue bonds in payment for such improvements, and the maintenance thereof, and to levy and to collect taxes for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon, to appoint navigation and canal commissioners of such navigation districts for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act; granting the right of eminent domain to such navigation districts or navigation and canal commissioners, and authorizing the navigation and canal commissioners to acquire by purchase, gift or grant for such district title to any right of way and other property; authorizing the navigation and canal commissioners to employ engineers, assistant engineers and other employes and to employ counsel; to enter into contracts for such improvements; to agree or co-operate with the Government of the United States, the proper department or officer thereof for the carrying out of such improvement or the supervision of the same, and for all things necessary for the maintenance of such districts according to the provisions of this act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation.. 45

Reported adverse, with favorable substitute 168

Read second time and made special order for February 4th..... 198

Taken up; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 224

Reported engrossed..... 257

Received from House, with amendments 323

Senate refused to concur in House amendments and request Free Conference Committee 326

House grants request for Free Conference Committee 353

Free Conference Committee report adopted 351

Senate concurred in House amendments 351

House adopts Free Conference Committee report 354

Signed 385

Enrolled bill in full..... 445

By Senator Hayter:

Senate bill No. 44, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 39, Acts of the General Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to prohibit and prevent adulteration, fraud and deception in the manufacture of and sale of articles of food and drugs,' etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 46

Reported favorably, with amendments 243

(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Paulus:

Senate bill No. 45, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a special road law for Lavaca county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 46

Reported favorably and be not printed 100

Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 113

Reported engrossed..... 127

Received from House..... 167

Signed 196

Reported enrolled..... 211

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 46, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 402 of Chapter 6, Title 11, Penal Code of the State of Texas, as amended by Chapter 40 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, approved March 16, 1903, relating to unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor, prescribing the punishment therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 46
 Reported majority adverse; minority favorable..... 100
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 47, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation to pay the mileage and per diem of the Presidential Electors of Texas for the year 1909, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 46
 Reported favorably and be not printed..... 54
 Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 48
 Reported engrossed..... 54
 Received from House..... 50
 Signed..... 62
 Enrolled bill in full..... 72

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 48, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate certain traffic and freight rates of certain railroads and their connecting common carriers in this State, and to define and prescribe the power and duties of the Railroad Commission of Texas with respect thereto."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 46
 Reported favorably and be not printed..... 783
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 49, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require common carriers engaged in moving commerce in the State of Texas to use locomotives which are equipped with ash pans that can be dumped or emptied and cleaned without the necessity of any employe going under such locomotive, and providing penalties for violations of the provisions of such act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 46
 Reported favorably..... 101
 Read second time and ordered engrossed..... 255
 Reported engrossed..... 267
 Read third time, and passed..... 320

Received from House..... 539
 Signed..... 598
 Enrolled bill in full..... 659

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 50, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the location of and establishment and maintenance of a State sanatorium for the treatment of persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the care and treatment of indigent consumptives, and making an appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 46
 Reported favorably..... 107
 Read second time and ordered engrossed..... 265
 Reported engrossed..... 313
 Read third time; amended; laid on table subject to call..... 317
 Taken up; engrossment vote rescinded; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended, and passed..... 420
 Reported engrossed..... 492
 Received from House..... 997
 Signed..... 1114
 Reported enrolled..... 1161

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 51, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the revising, digesting and publishing the laws, civil and criminal, of the State of Texas, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 47
 Reported favorably..... 188
 Read second time and made special order for February 11th..... 263
 Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 336
 Reported engrossed..... 365
 (Died in House.)

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 52, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate freight rates and charges on all kinds and classes of merchandise transported between places in Texas by railroads and other common carriers."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 47
 Reported adverse majority; favorable minority..... 362
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 53, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the patenting of portions of public lands heretofore sold by the State of Texas now owned by persons holding titles through deeds, executed by heirs, executors or administrators, with an emergency clause."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 47
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the establishment, maintenance and government of a State normal school, to be located at Thorp's Springs, Texas, and be known as the Brazos Valley Normal, and making an appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 47
Reported that bill be printed in Journal for further consideration. 159
Bill in full..... 159
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the granting of permission to engage in the sale and disposition of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication and places wherein the same are sold."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 47
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Murray:

Senate bill No. 56, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 5 of the Acts of the Special Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, creating independent school district for Nixon, Wilson and Gonzales counties, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 47
Reported favorably and be not printed 107
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 589
Reported engrossed..... 635
Received back from House, with amendments 684
House amendments concurred in.... 688
House requests return for correction 724

Request granted..... 724
Received from House, with amendments 821
House amendments concurred in.... 822
Signed 1041
Reported enrolled..... 1119

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 57, A bill to be entitled "An Act putting into effect the constitutional amendment adopted by the people at the last general election, relating to public schools, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 47
Reported favorably..... 106
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 142
Reported engrossed 179
Received from House, with amendments 324
House amendments concurred in.... 339
Signed 361
Enrolled bill in full..... 403

By Senator Hayter:

Senate bill No. 58, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2472 of Title 45 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, and providing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 47
Reported favorably..... 126
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 236
Reported engrossed..... 257
(Died in House.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 59, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining trespass and defining a penalty therefor, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 59
Reported favorably and be not printed 787
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 60, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 3 of Section 1, of Chapter 107, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, pertaining to Article 2989, Title 56 of the Revised Civil Statutes,

with respect to the granting of injunctions, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 59
Reported favorably, with amendments 219
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed 265-266
Reported engrossed..... 321
Read third time; amended, and passed 319
(Died in House.)

By Senators Perkins, Holsey and Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it a felony to pursue the occupation or business of selling intoxicating liquors, except as permitted by law."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 59
Reported favorably..... 118
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 62, A bill to be entitled 'An Act making it a criminal offense for any person to send to another person an anonymous letter or writing reflecting upon the integrity, chastity, virtue, good character or reputation of any person, or wherein the life of any such person is threatened, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 60
Reported favorably..... 99
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 186
Reported engrossed..... 200
Received from House, with amendments 426
Senate refused to concur in House amendments and Free Conference Committee requested..... 434
House grants request..... 503
Free Conference Committee report adopted 721
House reports adoption of Free Conference Committee report..... 807
Signed 1041
Enrolled bill in full..... 1120

By Senator Hayter (by request):

Senate bill No. 63, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 21 of an act entitled 'An Act providing for the

health and safety of persons in and around mines, and for creating a State Mining Board and the office of State Mining Inspector.'"

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation.. 60
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Perkins:

Senate bill No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 359 of the Penal Code, as amended by an act of the Thirtieth Legislature, approved April 18, 1907, defining disorderly houses."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 60
Reported favorably..... 118
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 65, A bill to be entitled "An Act to place the State's Alamo property under the control and management of the State Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, and his successor in office, and for putting said property in proper condition, and collecting rents on same, and providing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds 60
Reported favorably..... 119
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 999-1003, 1005
Reported engrossed..... 1046
(Died in House.)

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 66, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 4 of an act entitled 'An Act to incorporate the city of Waco.'"

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 60
Reported favorably, with amendments and be not printed..... 92
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 98
Reported engrossed..... 107
Final passage vote rescinded and laid on table subject to call..... 136
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Bryan (by request):

Senate bill No. 67, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to be entitled 'An Act to reorganize the Thirty-second, Sixty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-ninth Judicial Districts,' and to create the Sixty-eighth Judicial District of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 60
Reported favorably, with amendments 119
Read second time; committee report adopted; substitute adopted and ordered engrossed.....132-136
Reported engrossed..... 155
Read third time, and passed..... 184
Received from House, with amendments 198
House amendments concurred in.... 199
Signed 204
Reported enrolled..... 221

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit any corporation, or receiver, operating a line of railway in whole or in part, in the State of Texas, or any officer, agent, or representative of such corporation, or receiver, to retain, maintain, or establish a name on any railway station or depot in any incorporated or unincorporated town or city within this State, other than the name of the town or city, which town or city bears the name of its postoffice so given by the United States government, and providing penalties for violation of this act, and prescribing the venue of suits and prosecutions thereunder."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 60
Reported favorably, with amendments 227
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed..... 468
Reported engrossed..... 509
Read third time, and passed..... 501
Received from House, with amendments 673
House amendments concurred in.... 720
Signed 830
Enrolled bill in full..... 844

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the working of short term convicts upon the public roads of the State, defining short term convicts, and to provide regulations for the confinement and safekeeping of such convicts."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 60
Reported favorably, with amendments 396
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 70, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create an independent school district at the Agricultural and Mechanical College in Brazos county."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 60
Reported favorably and be not printed 71
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 86
Reported engrossed..... 101
Received from House..... 419
Signed 831
Reported enrolled..... 840

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 71, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that no assignment of wages to secure a loan or a debt of less than two hundred dollars (\$200) shall be valid against an employer, unless certain provisions are complied with, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 61
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority..... 363
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 72, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit and prevent adulteration, fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or fermented or malt liquors, or medicated bitters containing alcohol."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 61
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority and be not printed. 788
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Perkins (by request):

Senate bill No. 73, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish in the Fourth Congressional District of Texas the Grubbs' Self-Help and Industrial College, and to locate the same at the town of Campbell, Hunt county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 61

Reported favorable majority; adverse minority..... 548
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 74, A bill to be entitled "An Act to grant a new charter to the city of Austin, Travis county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 61

Reported favorably and be not printed 92

Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 87

Reported engrossed..... 107

Received from House, with amendments 131

House amendments concurred in.... 136

Signed 167

Reported enrolled..... 189

By Senators Weinert, Peeler and Stokes:

Senate bill No. 75, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the locating and building of a school for the instruction and treatment of the feeble-minded of this State, to be located at the capital of this State, and making appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 61

Reported favorably..... 189
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 76, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2895, Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to the sale and disposal of property by the Attorney General, to make deeds to the purchasers thereof, to refund to such persons the considerations therefor, upon failure of such title," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 61
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Paulus, Alexander, Weinert and Harper:

Senate bill No. 77, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 3498u, 3498v, 3498w and 3498x, Title 72, Chapter 1, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, so as to embrace within its provisions lunatics, idiots and per-

sons non compos mentis, in addition to minors as now embraced therein, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 61

Reported favorably..... 209

Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 434

Reported engrossed..... 492

Received from House..... 1184

Signed 1196

Enrolled bill in full..... 1341

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 78, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define and regulate the practice of optometry, to create a board of examiners in optometry for the examining and licensing of optometrists."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 85

Reported favorably..... 101

Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 187

Reported engrossed..... 200
(Died in House.)

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 79, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the State Government for two years, beginning September 1, 1909, and ending August 31, 1911, and for other purposes."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 85
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act to reorganize the Forty-seventh Judicial District, and to create the Sixty-ninth Judicial District, to fix the time for holding the terms of the district courts and to provide for the appointment of a district judge and district attorney in the said Sixty-ninth Judicial District."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 85

Reported favorably and be not printed 119
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Weinert, Murray, Harper, Veale and Paulus:

Senate bill No. 81, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to amend Article 377 of Chapter 1, Title 7, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 85
Reported favorably and be not printed 787
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Weinert, Murray, Veale, Harper and Paulus:

Senate bill No. 82, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3151 of Chapter 2, Title 62, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895."

Read first time and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 85
Reported favorably..... 363
Read second time; ordered engrossed; engrossment vote reconsidered; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 426, 431, 432
Reported engrossed..... 480
Received from House, with amendments 1179
House amendments concurred in... 1179
Signed 1196
Enrolled bill in full..... 1341

By Senators Paulus, Weinert, Murray and Stokes:

Senate bill No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the purchase of a site for and for the establishment, location and construction of an asylum in South Texas for the care, treatment and support of negro insane persons and to make an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Asylums..... 85
Reported favorably..... 580
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 4, 8, 10, 11, Chapter 137, an act passed by the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature of Texas, an act changing the official title of the State Fish and Oyster Commissioner to Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, providing for his salary," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 85
Reported favorably..... 579
Read second time; amended; pending amendment and bill laid on table subject to call..... 730

Taken up; amended; pending amendment and bill laid on table subject to call..... 805

Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 815
Reported engrossed..... 1052
Received from House, with amendments 1178
House amendments concurred in... 1178
Signed 1196
Enrolled bill in full..... 1338

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act conveying to the United States of America twenty-five acres of submerged land in the harbor of Galveston for quarantine and other governmental purposes and to cede to the said United States jurisdiction over the same, and declaring an emergency and an imperative public necessity."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 86
Reported favorably..... 507
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2960, Chapter 1, Title 55, of the Revised Statutes of 1895."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 86
Reported adversely 310

By Senator Perkins:

Senate bill No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish the North Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, for instruction in agriculture, the mechanical arts and the natural sciences connected therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 86
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Perkins (by request):

Senate bill No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act to encourage Texas authorship and school book publication."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 96
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections Nos. 2, 11,

12, 13, 16, 17, 22, 23, 29, 30, 35, 41, and 44 of Chapter 15 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature of Texas, entitled 'An Act to authorize the commissioners courts of the several counties of Texas to create and establish drainage districts, to construct canals, drains and ditches, to make levees, improve streams and water courses and make other improvements for the purpose of drainage,' etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation..	96
Reported favorably, with amendments	118
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	204
Report engrossed	211
Received from House, with amendments	353
Senate refused to concur in House amendments, and Free Conference Committee requested	359
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report	372
House adopts Free Conference Committee report	382
Signed	385
Enrolled bill in full	454

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2439 of Chapter 1, Title 45, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, in reference to fees of office to be charged and collected by certain State officers, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	97
Reported favorably	137
Called up; recommitted to Finance Committee	208
Reported adversely, with favorable substitute	241
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	358-360
Reported engrossed	376
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Real:

Senate bill No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 105, 106, 108, 109, 112, 113, 114, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122 and 123, of Chapter 124,

of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to teacher's certificates."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 97
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Veale, Harper and Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 92, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 375, Penal Code of the State of Texas, relating to and prohibiting raffling, affixing a penalty thereto and providing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 97
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority 146
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require any person, firm, or corporation operating a telephone in this State over which the public is charged for talking to make and publish rates of charges and exhibit same, and to prohibit any person, firm, or corporation from charging for overtime that is not actually talked, and for charging for messenger service that is not used or that does not see the person to whom they are sent and providing the penalties for violation of same and providing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 97
Reported adversely 787

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act to abolish the present Department of Public Health and Vital Statistics and to establish a State Board of Health."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 97
Reported adversely, with favorable substitute 387
Read second time; made special order for March 2..... 557
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hayter:

Senate bill No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring the true consideration to be expressed in all deeds and conveyances hereafter executed and offered for registration, and to fix suitable penalties for the violation of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 97
Reported adversely 127

By Senator Hume:

Senate bill No. 96, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9, Chapter 144, an act passed by the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Texas, 'An Act to preserve and protect the wild game, wild birds and wild fowl of the State;' to provide adequate penalties for the violation of this act, and the unlawful taking, slaughter, sale, purchase or shipment thereof, and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 97
Reported favorably 579
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1124, Title 29, Chapter 1, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas relative to county judges, election, qualification, and term of office, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 98
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 98, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2466, Title 45, Chapter 3, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relative to compensation of county judges and county commissioners, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 98
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the speedy and efficient enforcement of the liens of mechanics and artisans on the buildings and articles made or repaired by them, and to repeal all existing laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 98
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Adams:

Senate bill No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establish-

ment, maintenance and government of a State normal school to be located at Cherokee, Texas, and be known as the West Texas State Normal College, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 98
Reported with recommendation that bill be printed in Journal..... 160
Printed bill in full..... 160
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9, Chapter 144, an act passed by the Thirtieth Legislature at its Regular Session, 'An Act to preserve and protect the wild game, wild birds and wild fowl of the State;' to provide adequate penalties for the violation of this act, and the unlawful taking, slaughter, sale, purchase, or shipment thereof, and to repeal all laws and parts of laws; reducing the number of deer killed in a season; prohibiting night shooting; changing the open season on doves, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 98
Reported favorably 579
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Sturgeon, Thomas and Senter:

Senate bill No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate, limit and fix the fees and salaries to be paid to the clerks of the district courts, county judges, county attorneys, clerks of the county courts, collectors of taxes, assessors of taxes, sheriffs, county treasurers, justices of the peace and constables."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 98
Reported adverse majority; adverse minority, with favorable substitute 341
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 548, Chapter 9, Title 18, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, providing for the condemnation by incorporated cities and towns of private property for the purpose of widening streets, avenues or alleys, or for the construction of water mains, supply reservoirs or a standpipe for waterworks or sewers, etc.; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	102
Reported favorably	117
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	132
Reported engrossed	138
Received from House	186
Signed	196
Enrolled bill in full	210

By Senators Harper and Veale:

Senate bill No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the sale of spirituous, vinous, fermented and malt liquors, by any person who has not obtained from the Comptroller of Public Accounts a permit to apply to the county judge for license, and who has not applied to and obtained from the county judge an order for license, and who has not obtained from the clerk of the county court a license to sell spirituous, vinous, fermented and malt liquors; fixing penalties for the violation of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	103
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority, and be not printed ..	785
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Marshall, and to grant it a new charter, and to repeal all pre-existing charters, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	103
Reported favorably and be not printed	118
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	113
Reported engrossed	127
Received from House	167
Signed	254
Reported enrolled	267

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act to reorganize the Fifteenth and Fifty-ninth Judicial Districts of Texas; to create the Sixty-ninth Judicial District of Texas, and providing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts	103
Reported adversely, with favorable substitute	243
Read second time; laid on table subject to call	424
(Died on table.)	

By Senators Bryan and Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 107, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the transportation of Johnson grass or Johnson grass hay."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	103
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority, with amendments ..	312
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Brachfield and Meachum:

Senate bill No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring railways and railroad corporations or lessees thereof, operating within the State of Texas, and having their repair shops in the State, to repair, renovate and rebuild and overhaul all defective or broken cars, coaches, locomotives or other equipment in the State of Texas, and prohibiting any railway or railroad corporation from sending or moving any defective cars out of the State to be repaired, renovated or rebuilt, and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements ..	111
(Died in committee.)	

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2466, Chapter 3, Title 45, of the Revised Statutes of 1895, so that it will hereafter read as follows, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1	111
Reported favorably, and be not printed	632
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	812
Reported engrossed	1060
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Perkins (by request):

Senate bill No. 110, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it a criminal offense punishable by fine for any person in this State to use any vulgar, profane or indecent language over or through any telephone and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	111
Reported favorably, with amendments	147
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed.....	486
Report engrossed	511
Received from House.....	673
Signed	694
Enrolled bill in full.....	712

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define and regulate the practice of professional nursing, to create a board of nurse examiners, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	111
Reported favorably	146
Read second time; amended; amendments and bill pending.....	199
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	206
Reported engrossed	221
Received from House with amendments	1132
House amendments concurred in....	1133
Signed	1187
Enrolled bill in full.....	1354

By Senators Bryan and Harper:

Senate bill No. 112, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make the increase, income, rents, issues and profits of the separate estate of married women also her separate estate and authorizing conveyances to and settlement upon female persons of property to their sole and separate use and benefit, free from the marital rights and community rights and control of their husbands."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	111
Reported favorably; be not printed; and be printed in Journal.....	798
Printed bill in full.....	833
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Hume:

Senate bill No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Governor to purchase for the State the papers of President Mirabeau Lamar, and making appropriation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee.....	112
Reported favorably.....	521

Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	667
Reported engrossed.....	698
Received from House.....	1180
Signed	1193
Enrolled bill in full.....	1342

By Senator Perkins:

Senate bill No. 114, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the Collin county road law, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	112
(Died in committee.)	

By Senators Hudspeth, Weinert, Veale and Peeler:

Senate bill No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide additional compensation to all judges in the district courts of this State by allowing compensation for actual, necessary traveling expenses when engaged in the discharge of their official duties in counties other than the county of their residence, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee.....	112
Reported favorably, with amendments	137
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed	517
Reported engrossed	550
Read third time and passed.....	562
Received from House.....	1135
Signed	1188
Enrolled bill in full.....	1351

By Senators Cofer and Harper (by request):

Senate bill No. 116, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 199, Chapter 2, Title 7, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, and to insert in said Chapter 2, immediately following said Article 199, an article to be designated and known as Article 199a, providing that upon each conviction after the first for a violation of any of the provisions of said Article 199, as amended by the act, the punishment shall be double that prescribed."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	112
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority	311
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Cofer and Meachum:

Senate bill No. 117, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to provide adequate punishment for any person who shall engage or act in the capacity of a locomotive engineer, or train conductor, upon any railroad in the State of Texas, without having first served three (3) years as a locomotive fireman or engineer, or if engaged as a conductor on any railroad train in this State, he shall be punished as herein provided if he engages to so act without first having served two (2) years as a brakeman, or conductor of a freight train. To punish any person who shall knowingly engage, promote, require, persuade, prevail upon or cause any person to do any act in violation of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 112
 Reported adverse majority; favorable minority, with amendments.. 146
 Read second time; minority report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 721
 Reported engrossed 793
 Received from House.....1004
 Signed1114
 Enrolled bill in full.....1121

By Senator Perkins (by request):

Senate bill No. 118, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 480 of the Criminal Code in regard to the obstruction or injury of public roads, highways and bridges."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 122
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Alexander (by request):

Senate bill No. 119, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting railroad corporations and receivers thereof and other persons, firms and associations of persons engaged as a common carrier in the transportation of persons for hire and the agents of any such railroad corporations or receivers thereof and of any other such person, firm or association of persons from charging, receiving or accepting compensation for such transportation on Sunday less than the amount charged by such railroad corporation or receiver thereof or such other person, firm or association of persons for such transportation on any other day, unless such railroad corporation or receiver thereof or such other person, firm or association of persons shall in good faith offer to the public for some other day within three days before or after such

Sunday substantially similar transportation between the same points at the same rate, making any violation of this act a misdemeanor, and prescribing punishment therefor, and prescribing venue of such offenses."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 122
 Reported adverse majority; favorable minority 310
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Veale (by request):

Senate bill No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Seventh Judicial District to fix the time of holding court therein and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 123
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 121, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1647, Chapter 13, Title 22, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, so as to allow a judgment in the justice's court to be rendered against a non-resident upon a notice to serve a non-resident and so that said article may hereafter read as follows, and declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 123
 Reported favorably 145
 Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 185
 Reported engrossed 201
 Received from House, with amendments 673
 House amendments concurred in.... 673
 Signed 694
 Enrolled bill in full..... 712

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 122, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 642, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to the purpose for which private corporations may be formed, by adding thereto another subdivision known as Subdivision 66, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 123
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Holsey:

Senate bill No. 123, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 147, page 313 of the General Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature, which act sought here to be

amended was an act to create in the Department of Agriculture of Texas a Bureau of Cotton Statistics; prescribing the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture, the county clerks, public ginners, and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs... 130
Reported favorably 256
Read second time; amended; amendment and bill pending..... 543
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; engrossment vote reconsidered; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 822
Reported engrossed 1051
(Died in House.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 124, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the procedure in the appellate courts of this State, and to provide for the filing of the original statement of facts as a part of the record on appeal and writ of error in all causes on appeal or writ of error, from all courts, both civil and criminal, with an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 130
Reported favorably 364
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Perkins (by request):

Senate bill No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 4717, 4718, 4730, 4730a and 4733 of the Civil Statutes."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 130
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 126, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish a chair of Homeopathic materia medica and therapeutics in the Galveston Medical Branch of the State University, and instructing the Board of Regents of the State University to engage a teacher identified with the Homeopathic school of medicine to teach this branch of medicine, and to set aside a room or rooms, and to furnish same for didactic and clinical lectures, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 130
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority 247

Read second time; minority report adopted 319
Minority report vote reconsidered; majority report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed..... 437
Report engrossed 480
(Died in House.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and empower any party to any cause or his attorney of record, to print or typewrite, or cause to be printed or typewritten, the transcript of the record in any cause on appeal or writ of error, and requiring the clerk of the trial court to proof read and certify to the same and providing for his compensation therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary committee No. 1..... 130
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Harper (by request):

Senate bill No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4833, Chapter 1, Title 98, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to the annual salary of the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, and fixing the same at \$2500 per annum."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 140
Reported favorably 312
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Bryan and Hudspeth (by request):

Senate bill No. 129, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of railway corporations having charters granted or amended since the first day of January, 1900, and which have failed or are about to fail to construct their roads and branches or any part thereof, within the time prescribed by law, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 140
Reported favorably 189
Read second time; pending..... 226
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 232
Reported engrossed 257
Received from House, with amendments 426
Senate refused to concur in House amendments, and Free Conference Committee requested..... 604

House grants request for Free Conference Committee	612
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report.....	640
House adopts Free Conference Committee report	664
Signed	694
Enrolled bill in full.....	710

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 130, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of official shorthand reporters for district courts by the judges thereof to report cases, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	140
Reported favorably	700
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4759, Chapter 5, Title 97, of the Revised Statutes; providing for the manner in which the road and bridge funds of the several counties shall be expended."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	140
(Died in committee.)	

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 132, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any county in the State of Texas having a population in excess of 50,000 inhabitants by the last preceding United States census, to submit to the qualified voters the propriety of a bond issue for the construction and maintenance of causeways, viaducts, bridges and approaches across any rivers within the limits of such county, and to provide for the construction maintenance and use of such causeways, viaducts, bridges and approaches."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	140
Reported favorably	189
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	218
Reported engrossed	228
Received from House.....	426
Signed	476
Enrolled bill in full.....	508

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of an act entitled 'An Act to establish and create in each of the cities, towns and villages

of this State a State court to be known at the corporation court,' " etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	165
(Died in committee.)	

By Senators Peeler and Hayter:

Senate bill No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Section 12 of an act passed by the First Called Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, Chapter 18, relating to occupation taxes, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	165
Reported favorably	362
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed....	726
Reported engrossed	794
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 135, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled 'An Act to fix certain civil fees to be charged by certain county and precinct officers and to fix and limit the fees and compensation of clerks of the district court, district attorneys, county attorneys, sheriffs and constables in felony cases, to be paid by the State.' "

Read first time and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	181
(Died in committee.)	

By Senators Weinert, Cofer, Murray and Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 136, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Texas Library and Historical Commission."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History	181
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority	398
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Real and Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title 12, Chapter 2, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, by adding to Article 278, Article 278a, prescribing mode of appointing assistant district attorneys in districts of 60,000 population and over, where there is no criminal district court established, and qualification therefor, and duties thereof, and affixing salary, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.....	181
Reported favorably and be not printed	208
Read second time; committee report adopted; amendment and bill made special order for February 24	468
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended and passed.....	526
Reported engrossed	582
Received from House, with amendments	1128
House amendments concurred in....	1128
Signed	1159
Enrolled bill in full.....	1348

By Senators Terrell of McLennan, Peeler, Willacy and Watson:

Senate bill No. 138, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 7, Chapter 123, Acts of the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to define and regulate the practice of medicine, to create a board of medical examiners,' etc., and providing for an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health.....	181
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority	247
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Terrell of McLennan, Peeler, Willacy and Watson:

Senate bill No. 139, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 186, Acts of the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to establish the Texas State Board of Pharmacy,' etc., and providing for an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health.....	182
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority	246
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senators Senter, Terrell of Bowie and Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent the commission of fraud in compromises and settlement of claims for damages for injuries received by any person, receiver or corporation operating a railroad or interurban or street railroad, etc.; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	182
(Died in committee.)	

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 141, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit corporations in incorporated cities and towns furnishing water, electricity, gas and telephone service to citizens of such cities from discontinuing same without notice, and prescribing conditions under which they may discontinue same where controversy arises from charges of such corporation, and prescribing penalties for violating the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	182
Reported adversely, with favorable substitute	345
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed	470
Reported engrossed	510
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the better protection of life and property against injury or damage, resulting from the operation of steam engines and boilers by incompetent engineers and others, and to repeal any act that has been passed by the Legislature of Texas, granting cities the power to license engineers."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	182
(Died in committee.)	

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent any person from unlawfully using or wearing the badge or button or other emblem of certain orders and organizations."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	182
Reported favorably.....	241
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	488
Reported engrossed.....	510
Received from House.....	684
Signed	694
Enrolled bill in full.....	710

By Senator Kellie (by request):

Senate bill No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act to protect benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporations in

the use of their names and emblems and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 196
Reported adversely..... 786

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Wichita Falls Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company of Texas, and the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company; to negotiate loans," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 203
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish and create in each of the cities of this State having a population of 25,000 inhabitants, a State court, to be known as the corporation court in such city, and to prescribe the jurisdiction and organization thereof, and providing for the custody and care of prisoners doing punishment under judgments from said court."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 203
Reported favorably..... 267
Read second time: made special order for February 17th..... 369
Taken up; pending..... 385
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 411
Reported engrossed..... 444
(Died in House.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 31, of the local and special laws of the Thirtieth Legislature of Texas, creating a special road system for Williamson county, Texas, and approved March 20, 1907, and to create a more efficient road system for Williamson county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 214
Reported favorably and be not printed 249
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Hudspeth and Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act to lease the west half of the northwest quarter of block 122, in the city of Austin, Travis county, Texas, to the Girls' Co-Operative Home Association of Austin."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 214
Reported favorably, with amendments 507
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that with the exception of foreign corporations which may be required or whose agents within this State may be required to procure from the Commissioner of Insurance and Banking a certificate of authority to do business within this State, any foreign corporation, as a condition precedent to doing within this State any business whatever, except interstate business, or to establishing within this State a general or special office, shall obtain from the Secretary of State a permit to do business within this State, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 214
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require any person, firm or association of persons keeping any billiard or pool rooms to keep open house, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 215
Reported favorably..... 403
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 151, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the city council of all cities and towns incorporated under the General Laws of this State, to regulate the charges, and fix the rates to be charged by all water companies or persons engaged in supplying water, gas and light to the public within the limits of said cities or towns, and occupying the streets and other public places for that purpose, and to prescribe rea-

sonable rules and regulations therefor, and to protect said companies and corporations or persons from imposition."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 215
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority 347
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require any railroad company or corporation or any receiver operating any railroad, or constructing any railroad or railroad bridge who shall discharge any employe, to pay the wages for such employe within five days from such discharge, and prescribe penalty for failure therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 215
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the creation, establishment and maintenance of a State education fund, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 215
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 154, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 642 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended by Chapter 130, Acts of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, Chapter 43, Acts of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, Chapter 43, Acts of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and Chapter 100, Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, by amending Subdivision 61 thereof, and authorizing the formation of corporations for the construction and operation of interurban electric, gas or gasoline, denatured alcohol or naphtha motor railways, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 215
Reported favorably..... 227
Read second time; amended; pending amendment and bill laid on table subject to call..... 428-432
Taken up; amended; amendment and bill pending 474
Taken up; amended; amendment and bill pending..... 491

Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed 497
Reported engrossed..... 550
Read third time, and passed..... 825
Received from House..... 1129
Signed 1187
Enrolled bill in full..... 1336

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 155, A bill to be entitled "An Act prescribing franchise taxes to be paid by private, domestic and foreign corporations for the exercise of the privilege of doing business within the State of Texas, and providing for the collection thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 215
Reported favorably..... 312
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 156, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of an agricultural experiment station to be located in the Twenty-eighth Senatorial District."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs... 216
Reported favorably..... 250
Read second time; amended; amendment and bill pending..... 320
Taken up; amendment and bill pending 339-340
Taken up; substitute and bill made special order for February 18th.. 382
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 157, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the speedy and efficient enforcement of the liens of mechanics and artisans on the buildings, improvements and articles made or repaired by them," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 223
Reported favorably..... 347
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 473
Reported engrossed..... 509
Received from House, with amendments 812
House amendments concurred in.... 992
Signed 1114
Enrolled bill in full..... 1121

By Senator Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 158, A bill to be entitled "An Act to promote the safety of travelers and employes by compelling common carriers engaged in commerce by railroads within the State of Texas to equip their locomotives, tenders, cars and similar vehicles used in moving intrastate traffic within said State with certain safety devices and appliances, and providing penalties for violations of this act; and providing further, that employes of such carriers continuing in the service with notice or knowledge of such violations shall not be held to have assumed the risk of injuries resulting from the same, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 223
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Terrell of McLennan and Weinert:

Senate bill No. 159, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of three members of the Senate by the Lieutenant Governor and four members of the House by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a committee on investigation to visit the penitentiaries located at Huntsville and Rusk, respectively, and such other places as convicts of the State may be detained, if in their judgment necessary, to the end that a thorough investigation of the penitentiary system may be made; providing for the recommendations as to the future employment of convict labor, empowering the committee to summon witnesses and administer oaths in the name of the State, and to employ expert accountants and such other help as needed; their report, together with evidence taken to be submitted to the Governor of this State when completed, and providing that said committee shall sit in vacation, and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Penitentiaries... 223
Reported favorably..... 364
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended and passed..... 558-559
Reported engrossed..... 601
Received from House, with amendments 684
Senate refused to concur in House amendments, and Free Conference Committee requested..... 685

House grants request..... 718
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report..... 691
House adopts Free Conference Committee report..... 719
Signed 831
Enrolled bill in full..... 842

By Senator Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 160, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require persons keeping billiard or pool rooms to keep an open house, and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 223
Reported adversely..... 788

By Senators Bryan, Veale, Ward and Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 161, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining land suits; providing for the compulsory attendance upon the trial of such suits of witnesses residing or who may be found outside of the county in which such suit is pending, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 231
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Bryan, Veale, Ward and Brachfield:

Senate bill No. 162, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation for the recovery of lands belonging to or claimed for the public schools and other lands of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 231
Reported with recommendation that bill be recommitted to Finance Committee 363
Recommitted to Finance Committee. 363
Reported favorably..... 798
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Holsey:

Senate bill No. 163, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the city of Corsicana, in Navarro county, Texas.'"

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 231
Reported favorably and be not printed 267
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Holsey:

Senate bill No. 164, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 193 of an act of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the town of Corsicana, in Navarro county, Texas,' and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 231
Reported favorably and be not printed 267
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 165, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 811, Title 23, Chapter 5, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, relating to the revocation of county seats."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Counties and County Boundaries 232
Reported favorably 581
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 166, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Lampasas county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 232
Reported favorably and be not printed 375
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 167, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1264 of the Revised Statutes of 1895 and to fix the time of filing an answer in all cases where the defendant is cited by publication."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 253
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority 310
Read second time; majority report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; engrossment vote reconsidered; amended; amendment pending; pending 564-574
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 585
Reported engrossed 634
(Died in House.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 168, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title 17, Chapter 5, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Article 825a, prohibiting the cutting of wood, trees or shrubs suitable for fuel, or other useful purposes from the enclosed lands of another; providing a penalty for a violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 253
Reported favorably 402
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 169, A bill to be entitled "An Act to name the several counties composing the Thirty-third and the Fifty-first Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, and to fix the time for holding the district courts therein."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts 253
Reported favorably and be not printed 439
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 484
Reported engrossed 510
Received from House 531
Signed 544
Reported enrolled 582

By Senator Hudspeth (by request):

Senate bill No. 170, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that fraternal beneficiary associations whose liabilities already accrued exceed their assets shall be deemed insolvent, and to prohibit such associations from transacting business in this State, and to provide for winding up their affairs, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History 254
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 171, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Chapter 124 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to the investment of the permanent school fund by the Board of Education, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 260

Reported favorably.....	365
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..	436
Reported engrossed.....	480
Received from House, with amendments	684
House amendments concurred in....	687
Signed	755
Enrolled bill in full.....	840

By Senators Wason, Meachum and Willacy:

Senate bill No. 172, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal so much of Section 1, known as and styled 'Section 3a,' and to amend so much of Section 1, known as and styled Section 19 of an act of the Thirtieth Legislature of Texas, approved April 12, 1907, and entitled 'An Act to amend an act relating to State and county finances and the finances of cities incorporated under the General Laws of this State; providing for a system of State, county and city depositories for said State, county and city funds for the selection and designation of such depositories,' " etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 260
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth (by request):

Senate bill No. 173, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 175 of the General Laws of Texas passed by the Thirtieth Legislature, prescribing compensation of district attorneys, amending said law so that Article 1081a of the Code of Criminal Procedure shall hereafter read as follows, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	260
Reported favorably.....	311
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..	555
Reported engrossed.....	601
Received from House, with amendments	997
House amendments concurred in....	1003
Signed	1114
Enrolled bill in full.....	1123

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 174, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that all actions or suits in the courts of this State, by or at the relation or to the use of the State of Texas, or any county, city, town

or school district thereof, for the collection of delinquent taxes, shall be brought within four years after such taxes shall have become delinquent, and not afterwards, and for the abatement of all suits for taxes due more than four years prior to the taking effect of this act, and creating an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 174
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Greer (by request):

Senate bill No. 175, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors and medicated bitters sold under prescription in all local option territory in the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 261
Reported adversely..... 785

By Senators Perkins, Senter and Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 176, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix and declare the right of contract in certain cases and to regulate the making of contracts between publishers of newspapers, periodicals and railroad interurban and other transportation companies."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 261
Reported with recommendation that bill be referred to Committee on Internal Improvements..... 375
Referred to Committee on Internal Improvements
 376 || Reported favorable majority, with amendments; adverse minority... | 400 |
Read second time and made special order for March 1st.....	541
Taken up; amended; amendment pending; pending.....	594-596
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed	604-607
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 177, A bill to be entitled "An Act to carry into effect the amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors and their wives, under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 282

Reported favorably..... 798
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Kellie (by request):

Senate bill No. 178, A bill to be entitled "An Act to promote the safety of employes and travelers upon railroads in this State by limiting the hours of service of conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen, by making it unlawful for any railroad company, or the receiver of any railroad company or any officer or agent of such railroad company or receiver to require or permit any conductor, engineer, fireman or brakeman, to be or remain on duty for a longer period than sixteen consecutive hours, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 282
Reported favorably..... 400
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 590
Reported engrossed..... 634
Received from House..... 1093
Signed 1159
Enrolled bill in full..... 1314

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 179, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a special fund for the erection, repair and equipment of buildings at the Medical Branch of the University of Texas, at Galveston, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 282
Reported favorably..... 633
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 825
Reported engrossed..... 1060
(Died in House.)

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 180, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of an agricultural experimental station, to be located in the Fourteenth Senatorial District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs.... 283
Reported favorably and be not printed 1117
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 181, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of an act

entitled 'An Act to amend an act to prescribe the time within which statements of facts, bills of exceptions may be filed in causes tried in the district and county courts of Texas, and to authorize judges whose term of office has expired to approve the same, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1903, approved February 28, 1903, amending so that judges also have ten days after adjournment of the term of court at which said cause may be tried to file findings of fact and conclusions of law,' of the First Called Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, being Chapter 7, approved May 14, A. D. 1907, relating to filing bills of exceptions and findings of fact and conclusions of law, and declaring an emergency, and repeal of all laws in conflict with this act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 283
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Meachum:

Senate bill No. 182, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 14 of an act entitled 'An Act providing for the appointment of official stenographers for district courts by the judges,' etc.

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 283
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 183, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting nepotism, except with regard to the appointment or confirmation of appointment of notaries public, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 316
Reported favorably..... 401
Read second time; ordered engrossed 586
Reported engrossed..... 658
Read third time, and passed..... 664
Received from House, with amendments 745
House amendments concurred in.... 747
Signed 830
Enrolled bill in full..... 1052

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 184, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the teaching of agriculture, manual training and domestic science in the State normal schools at Huntsville, Denton and San Marcos."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 317

Reported favorably..... 365
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 185, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title 30, Chapter 19 of the Revised Civil Statutes by adding thereto Article 1404a, providing that the giving of a supersedeas bond shall not suspend the powers of receivers, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 317
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 186, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 633, Chapter 7, Title 15, of the Revised Penal Code of 1895, relating to the crime of rape, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 324
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal..... 796
Bill in full..... 779
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 187, A bill to be entitled "An Act to ratify, approve and confirm a certain contract of lease between county of Galveston of the first part, Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway Company; Galveston, Houston & Henderson Railroad Company; Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio Railway Company of the second part, and Galveston-Houston Electric Railway Company of the third part, relating to the causeway, with an emergency clause."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 324
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 340
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 370
Reported engrossed..... 444
Received from House..... 539
Signed..... 598
Reported enrolled..... 658

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 188, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate McLean Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 325

Reported favorably and be not printed..... 364
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 619
Reported engrossed..... 697
Received from House..... 1073
Signed..... 1160
Reported enrolled..... 1295

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 189, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the county court of Tarrant county for civil cases, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 189
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 347
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 361
Reported engrossed..... 377
Received from House, with amendments..... 417
House amendments concurred in.... 423
Signed..... 476
Reported enrolled..... 508

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 190, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 115 of the General Laws of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 113 of the General Laws of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, as amended by Section 16 of Chapter 106 of the General Laws of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, so as to include in the provision of that section the Telegraphers' Mutual Benefit Association, and to exempt said association from the provision of the laws of this State governing fraternal beneficial associations."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History..... 325
Reported favorably..... 580
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 191, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for prospecting for mineral on land owned by the State of Texas, or the public free school fund, and on such land as the State has heretofore or may hereafter sell with the reservation of the mineral therein, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office	325
Reported favorably, with amendments	507
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	724
Reported engrossed.....	836
Received from House, with amendments	1134
House amendments concurred in....	1137
Signed	1196
Enrolled bill in full.....	1319

By Senator Bryan:

Senate bill No. 192, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 6 of the Special Laws enacted by the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act incorporating the Baird Independent School District in Callahan county, Texas.' "

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs....	325
Reported favorably and be not printed	364
Read second time; committee report adopted; substitute adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	463
Reported engrossed.....	511
Received from House, with amendments	540
House amendments concurred in....	544
Signed	682
Reported enrolled.....	709

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 193, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide adequate fees for district and county attorneys prosecuting violators of the laws prohibiting the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	325
Reported adversely.....	788

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 194, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Wichita Falls Railway Company to own and operate as its own the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company and the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company, to be allowed to issue, if negotiable, bonds," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements.	326
(Died in committee.)	

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 195, A bill to be entitled "An Act to abolish the rule known as the rule in Shelley's case, and to provide that in such case the words 'heirs' or 'heirs of the body' shall be construed to be words of purchase and not words of limitation, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	354
Reported favorably and be not printed	798
(Died on calendar.)	

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 196, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Nixon Independent School District."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs....	355
Reported favorably and be not printed	376
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	371
Reported engrossed.....	403
Received from House.....	672
Signed	694
Reported enrolled.....	710
House requests return for correction	724
Governor requested to return.....	729
Returned by Governor.....	991
Returned from Enrolling Clerk per resolution	994
Returned to House for correction..	994
Received from House.....	1126
Signed	1160
Reported enrolled.....	1297

By Senator Paulus:

Senate bill No. 197, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 49 of the General Laws of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, said chapter being entitled 'An Act to create a more efficient road system for Fayette, Uvalde and Frio counties, Texas,' and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	355
Reported favorably and be not printed	399
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	623
Reported engrossed.....	698
(Died in House.)	

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 198, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Wichita Falls Railway to own and operate as its own the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company and the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 355
Reported favorably. 399
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 592
Reported engrossed. 635
Received from House. 1125
Signed. 1160
Enrolled bill in full. 1316

By Senator Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 199, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a school of agriculture and the mechanical arts, with a department of domestic science, in each of the respective congressional districts of this State, and to make an appropriation, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 355
Reported favorable majority, and be not printed; adverse minority. 548
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Murray:

Senate bill No. 200, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Goliad Independent School District, in Goliad county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 355
Reported favorably and be not printed. 506
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 538
Reported engrossed. 634
Received from House, with amendments. 684
House amendments concurred in. 688
House requests return for correction. 724
Recalled from enrolling room and returned to House. 724
Received from House, with amendments. 1072
House amendments concurred in. 1077
Signed. 1166
Reported enrolled. 1294

By Senators Cofer, Sturgeon and Ward:

Senate bill No. 201, A bill to be entitled

"An Act to amend Articles 2941, 2942, 2943, 2944, 2945, 2946, 2947, 2948, 2949, 2950, 2951, 2952 and 2955 of Title 54 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, relating to the House of Correction and Reformatory; providing for a change of its name; providing for its control, management, support, maintenance and regulation; providing who shall be or become inmates, paroled or released; providing that juveniles convicted in juvenile courts be sent there; providing means of entrance for all incorrigible boys; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs. 355
Reported favorably. 374
Read second time and made special order for February 26th. 542
Taken up; amended and ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 556
Reported engrossed. 634
Received from House, with amendments. 1127
House amendments concurred in. 1130
Signed. 1193
Enrolled bill in full. 1345

By Senators Cofer, Sturgeon and Ward:

Senate bill No. 202, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 65 of the General Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to define "delinquent child" and to regulate the treatment and control of same'; providing for commitment of delinquent juveniles to the State Institute for the Training of Juveniles; providing procedure, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read for the first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs. 355
Reported favorably. 374
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed. 561
Reported engrossed. 634
Received from House, with amendments. 1128
House amendments concurred in. 1130
Signed. 1187
Enrolled bill in full. 1351

By Senators Cofer, Sturgeon and Ward:

Senate bill No. 203, A bill to be entitled "An Act to be amend Articles 1145 and

1146 of Title 17 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas as adopted in the Revised Statutes of 1895, relating to the House of Correction and Reformatory; providing that in certain cases persons under sixteen years of age convicted of a felony shall be confined in the State Institute for the Training of Juveniles; providing that this amendment shall not effect, modify or vitiate any judgment heretofore rendered, confining any person to the House of Correction and Reformatory; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 355
 Reported favorably..... 374
 Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 563
 Reported engrossed 601
 Received from House.....1129
 Signed1187
 Enrolled bill in full.....1349

By Senators Stokes and Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 204, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title 18, Chapter 2 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas by adding thereto Article 399a, providing for the election of a city attorney in incorporated cities and towns of 5000 population and less, and fixing fees of office, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 356
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 650b, Chapter 2, Title 21 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas as amended by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, Chapter 53, page 73, and as amended by the Thirtieth Legislature, Chapter 152, page 294, with an emergency clause."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 356
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Peeler (by request):

Senate bill No. 206, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide in favor of architects or other persons for services rendered in drawing and preparing plans and specifications for the erection or improvement of any building or other

structure, or in superintending the erection or improvement of such building or other structure, or for both, a lien on such building or other structure and the lot, or lots or land upon which the same is situated, to secure the payment of the value of such services as agreed upon, or the reasonable value thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 356
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Hume:

Senate bill No. 207, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for a deputy county superintendent of schools of Harris and Travis counties, and prescribing duties and qualifications of same."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs... 356
 Reported favorably and be not printed 791
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 208, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 4, Title 28 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, by adding an additional article to said chapter, to be known as Article 1119a, and providing for extending terms of district courts in certain cases, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 356
 Reported favorably, and be not printed 798
 Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 728
 Reported engrossed 793
 Received from House.....1180
 Signed1196
 Enrolled bill in full.....1338

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 209, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 5, Chapter 131, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature, approved April 18, 1907, and entitled 'An Act to amend Sections 1, 4, 5, 6 and 11 of Chapter 108, Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, being an act entitled 'An Act regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and the materials from which they are manufactured, defining concentrated feeding stuffs, prohibiting their adulteration, providing for

their correct weighing and making, and providing for the collection of samples, the expenses of the enforcement of the law and fixing penalties for its violation," and to add thereto Section 11a, empowering the director of the experiment station to adopt standards and definitions for concentrated feed stuffs, and to refuse the registration of feeding stuffs under certain circumstances, and to cancel registration under certain circumstances after notice, and to empower said director to adopt rules and regulations for the enforcement of all of the provisions of the act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 356
Reported favorably 580
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1138
(Died in House.)

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 210, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Pate Independent School District in McLennan county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs... 356
Reported favorably, and be not printed 376
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 428
Reported engrossed..... 492
Received from House..... 665
Signed 694
Reported enrolled 709
House requests return for correction 724
Governor requested to return to Senate 729

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 211, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 22 of Title 39 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1895, by amending Article 2125 of said chapter, relating to citations in the sale of land by executors or administrators of the estates of decedents, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 356
Reported favorably..... 376
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 212, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 5, Title 51

of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, by amending Article 2588, relating to the appointment of guardians, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
Reported favorably..... 376
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 213, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the county commissioners court of the various counties of the State of Texas to contract for the making and completion of some modern system of indexing of the deed records and other records of their respective counties, and to validate contracts heretofore made by such commissioners courts, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
Reported favorably 799
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Bryan (by request):

Senate bill No. 214, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make it unlawful for railway, express and telegraph companies to contract with each other for the exchange of services; requiring such contract to be filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 357
Reported favorably..... 399
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Adams:

Senate bill No. 215, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Ballinger Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs... 357
Reported favorably, and be not printed 547
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 615
Reported engrossed..... 697
Received from House..... 1073
Signed 1160
Reported enrolled 1295

By Senator Hudspeth (by request):

Senate bill No. 216, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 811, of Chapter 5, Title 28, of Revised Statutes of 1895."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 217, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing and fixing the time of holding the courts in the Sixty-third Judicial District of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 357
Reported favorably, and be not printed 439
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; engrossment vote reconsidered; amended and ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 627
Reported engrossed..... 698
Received from House..... 1179
Signed 1196
Reported enrolled..... 1298

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 218, A bill to be entitled "An Act to better define and punish vagrancy, describing the rules of procedure in the prosecution of vagrants, and fixing a punishment for vagrancy, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 357
Reported favorably 402
Read second time; made special orders for March 1st..... 536
Taken up; amended; amendment pending; pending..... 612
Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 813
Reported engrossed 840
Received from House with amendments 1141
House amendments concurred in... 1144
Signed 1187
Enrolled bill in full 1356

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 219, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent the impairment of liens on property belonging to estates of decedents and to regulate the enforcement of such liens when their enforcement is provided for by powers of sale."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 220, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that all bonds or other debts or evidence of debt issued or created after this act shall take effect by the State or by any county, municipality or taxing district of any character shall not be subject to ad valorem taxation."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
(Died in committee).

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 221, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent ad valorem taxation of interest in property which under the Constitution and laws of this State is itself exempt from ad valorem taxation."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
(Died in committee).

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 222, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent double ad valorem taxation of interest in property which is encumbered or interests which are otherwise separately or diversely represented."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 357
(Died in committee).

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 223, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3503, Title 73, Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, relating to the appointment of notaries public, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 358
Reported favorably 506
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 754
Reported engrossed 840
(Died in House).

By Senator Holsey:

Senate bill No. 224, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 11 of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to regulate elections and to provide penalties for its violations, etc., and declaring an emergency.'"

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 358
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority 440
(Died on calendar).

By Senator Perkins:

Senate bill No. 225, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish a school of agriculture for the instruction of white male children in the science of agriculture and horticulture, and the natural sciences connected therewith, and in civil engineering and other scientific and classical studies relating to practical education in the pursuits of agriculture and horticulture to be known as the North Texas Agricultural College, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 367
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority 547
Read second time; majority report adopted; ordered engrossed..... 1102
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 226, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for McLennan county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 367
Reported favorably and be not printed 396
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 626
Reported engrossed..... 699
Received from House..... 1072
Signed 1160
Reported enrolled..... 1296

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 227, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the making of political speeches and the discussion of political matters in all public houses of worship commonly called churches; declaring the same to be an offense; fixing a punishment for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 379
Reported adversely..... 785

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 228, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the commissioners court of the several counties in Texas to refund to holders of unexpired liquor dealers' license and occupation tax receipts revoked by the enactment of Chapter 138 of the General Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 379
Reported favorably..... 442
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 229, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the running of street cars," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 379
Reported favorably and be not printed 783
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 230, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that with the exception of foreign corporations which may be required or whose agents within this State may be required to procure from the Commissioner of Insurance and Banking a certificate of authority to do business within this State, any foreign corporation, as a condition precedent to doing within this State any business whatsoever, except interstate business, or to establish within this State a general or special office, shall obtain from the Secretary of State a permit to do business within this State, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 379
Reported favorably..... 505
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 231, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5065 of Title 104, Chapter 2, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by Chapter 129 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirtieth Legislature at its Regular Session in 1907, so as to define, exempt and regulate the exemption of endowment funds of educational institutions and other property from taxation, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 380
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 232, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting ginners or other persons from knowingly mixing dirt, sand, rocks, nails, motes or other foreign matter, with cotton seed, and providing a penalty therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 380
Reported favorably..... 579
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 233, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require insurance companies other than life insurance companies before they shall receive a certificate of authority to transact business in this State, and requiring all persons, firms or associations before they shall issue or authorize the issuance of any policies of insurance to citizens of this State to file with the Commissioner of Insurance and Banking a bond or to deposit securities to secure the payment of all lawful obligations under such policies to citizens of this State and providing penalties for violations of some of the provisions of this act."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 380
Recalled and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History 554
Reported favorably, with amendments 632
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 730
Reported engrossed..... 836
Received from House..... 1179
Signed 1193
Enrolled bill in full..... 1353

By Senators Holsey and Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 234, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 24 and 32 of Chapter 164 of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, approved May 1, 1905, by providing for the deposit in county depository of all moneys belonging to counties by officers in charge thereof, and for the exemption of said officers from any loss caused by the failure or negligence of such depositories."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 380
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 235, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 80 of the Special Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Texas, approved April 15, 1907, and to create a more efficient road law for Lee county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 380
Reported favorably and be not printed 443
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 489
Reported engrossed..... 522
Received from House, with amendments 1002
House amendments concurred in.... 999
Signed 1114
Reported enrolled..... 1161

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 236, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 3507 and 3515 of Title 73 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, pertaining to notaries public."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 380
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 237, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 26 of Article 22 of Title 4 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and to change and prescribe the time for holding district court in the Twenty-sixth Judicial District of the State of Texas, and to define the jurisdiction thereof, and to provide for the venue and transfer of causes in the Twenty-sixth and Fifty-third district courts, and to provide for a clerk of the district court of the Twenty-sixth and Fifty-third Judicial Districts in and for Travis county, and to conform all writs, process, bonds, recognizances and drawing of petit and grand juries of such courts to the change made, and providing for the drawing of grand juries in the Twenty-sixth and Fifty-third Judicial Districts, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 381
Reported favorably and be not printed 439
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 502
Reported engrossed..... 549
Received from House..... 540
Signed 576
Reported enrolled..... 582

By Senators Meachum, Watson, Alexander and Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 238, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the commissioners courts of the several counties in Texas to create and establish improvement districts to prevent overflows, and to construct and maintain levees and other improvements on rivers, creeks and streams, and to prevent overflows, to order and hold elections for the purpose of voting on the establishment of district and authorizing the issuance of bonds to pay for such improvements and the maintenance thereof, and the levying and collection of taxes to pay for such bonds and interests thereon, to appoint commissioners and all other necessary officers of such improvement districts for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act; defining their powers and duties; granting the right of eminent domain to such improvement districts and authorizing the improvement commissioners to acquire by purchase, gift or grant for such districts title to any right of way and other property, and such levees or other improvements as may have been therein previously constructed or made in such districts and authorizing such commissioners to sell any property acquired by said district under the provisions of this act or otherwise, and generally authorizing the commissioners court and improvement commissioners to do all things necessary for the establishment and maintenance of such districts and the construction and maintenance of said levees and other improvements, according to the provisions of this act, and making it a penal offense for any person to wilfully prevent the improvement district officers from entering upon such person's land for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, and providing a penalty therefor, and creating other offenses and providing penalties therefor under this act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 381
Reported favorably..... 479
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 498
Reported engrossed..... 549
Received from House, with amendments 807
Senate refused to concur in House

amendments and requests Free Conference Committee..... 808
House grants request..... 811
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report..... 995
House adopts Free Conference Committee report..... 1003
Signed 1192
Enrolled bill in full..... 1323

By Senator Adams:

Senate bill No. 239, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer upon the county court of Concho county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to said court under the Constitution and general statutes of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 409
Reported favorably and be not printed 657
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 646
Reported engrossed..... 793
(Died in House.)

By Senator Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 240, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining what shall be a full crew on passenger trains, run by railroad companies or receivers of railroad companies, doing business in this State; what shall be a full crew on freight, gravel or construction trains, run by such railroad companies or receivers, and what shall be a full crew on light engines run by such railroad companies or receivers; providing for certain cases to which the act shall not apply, rendering it unlawful for any such railroad company or receiver to run any train or light engine, subject to this act without, in each instance, having the full crew required, imposing a penalty for each violation by any railroad company or receiver of any of the provisions of the act; prescribing the venue of suits to recover penalties for violations of this act and the officers by whom the suits shall be brought, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 409
Reported favorably..... 545
Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed 609
Reported engrossed 697

Received from House, with amendments	716
Senate refused to concur in House amendments, and requests Free Conference Committee	720
House grants request	724
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report	803
House adopts Free Conference Committee report	807
Senate rescinds adoption of Free Conference Committee report and requests new Free Conference Committee	820
House grants request	821
Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report	823
House adopts Free Conference Committee report	825
Signed	1041
Enrolled bill in full	1119

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 241, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a county board of education, to prescribe the time and manner of selecting same, to prescribe its qualifications, authority and duties; to vest in the county board of education all rights and powers now vested in the county commissioners court with respect to school affairs, and to provide for appeals in the administration of county school affairs, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs....	410
Reported favorably, and be printed in Journal	791
Bill in full	760
(Died on calendar).	

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 242, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate out of the general Revenue of the State the sum of \$25,000 for the purpose of having erected monuments, markers and tablets on the Chickamauga National Military Park to designate the positions occupied by the soldiers from Texas," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	410
Reporter adverse majority; favorable minority	63
(Died on calendar).	

By Senator Senter:

Senate bill No. 243, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the buying or selling of pools, or receiving or making bets or offers to bet on horse races, except through the use of the Pari-Mutuel ma-

chine system, conducted by regularly chartered fair associations; to prohibit horse racing on Sunday; to prohibit the use or lease of premises for pool rooms, or for receiving or transmitting bets on horse racing; to provide penalties for its violation; to regulate the dates upon which races may be given, and to establish a State racing commission, and prescribing its powers and duties, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	410
Reported favorable majority; adverse minority	578
(Died on calendar).	

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 244, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 27, Chapter 164 of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas, relating to county depositories."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	410
Reported favorably and be not printed	1114
(Died on calendar).	

By Senator Murray:

Senate bill No. 245, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 812, Chapter 5, Title 23 of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1895, relating to county seats."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Counties and County Boundaries	410
(Died in committee).	

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 246, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3356, Chapter 2, Title 67 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relative to the statute of limitations, and providing that actions based upon county scrip shall be commenced and prosecuted within four years after the cause of action shall have accrued, and providing for cancellation of the same, and providing for an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1	410
Reported favorably; be not printed; be printed in Journal	1054
Bill in full	1042
(Died on calendar).	

By Senator Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 247, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and empower Lamar county or any political subdivision of said county by an affirma-

tive vote of two-thirds of the resident property taxpayers, qualified voters of such county or political subdivision thereof voting thereon, to issue bonds, to any amount, not exceeding one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such county, or of such political subdivision, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the interest on such bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, ballasted, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, and prescribing ways and means of conducting and supervising said work."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries..... 410
Reported favorably, and be not printed 442
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 462
Reported engrossed 510
Received from House..... 672
House requests return for correction 725
Senate grants request..... 725
Received from House..... 820
Signed 1041
Reported enrolled 1119

By Senators Murray and Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 248, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 5, General Laws of the First Called Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, entitled 'An Act to apportion the State of Texas into congressional districts,' naming the counties composing the same, and providing for the election of a member of the Congress of the United States from each district, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Federal Relations..... 411
Reported adverse majority, and be not printed; favorable minority... 792
(Died on calendar).

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 249, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define telegraph and telephone companies, declaring them to be common carriers as to all messages and conversations over their lines, phones and exchanges and placing them under the Railroad Commission of Texas, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 461
Reported with recommendation that bill be referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 582
Reported adverse majority; favorable minority, and be not printed 788
(Died on calendar).

By Senator Masterson:

Senate bill No. 250, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a home for lepers and to provide for the isolation, care and treatment of persons suffering with leprosy, and to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 461
Reported favorably 546
(Died on calendar).

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 251, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act passed on the 31st day of March, 1903, to amend Subdivision 9 of Article 22, Title 4 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, changing the time of holding court and the length of terms of court in certain counties in the Ninth Judicial District of the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..... 483
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 252, A bill to be entitled "An Act to grant unto the United States of America a section of land in El Paso county, Texas, and to validate the patent issued thereon, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 483
Reported favorably 507
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 644
Reported engrossed 709
Received from House..... 1135
Signed 1159
Enrolled bill in full..... 1349

By Senator Kellie (by request):

Senate bill No. 253, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit bucketshops or bucketshopping within this State," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 484
Reported adversely 785

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 254, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5065 of Title 104, Chapter 2 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by Chapter 127 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature at its Regular Session in A. D. 1905, as amended by Chapter 159 of the General Laws of the Thirtieth Legislature, page 302, approved April 23, 1907, so as to define, exempt and regulate the exemption of endowment funds of educational institutions from taxation; defining what is a house of public worship, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 484
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Watson and Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 255, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the organization of a 'Ranger Force' for the protection of the frontier against marauding and thieving parties and for the suppression of lawlessness and crime throughout the State; to prescribe the duties and powers of member of such force, and to regulate their compensation, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs 495
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Terrell of Bowie:

Senate bill No. 256, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the office of public weigher in the towns, cities and precincts of the State, etc., and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 495
Withdrawn by author; see resolution 668

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 257, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the use of books to be used in the public schools of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs... 495
(Died in committee).

By Senator Bryan (by request):

Senate bill No. 258, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent any railroad company from rebating or returning to the consignee or to the shipper any part of the freight charges on any shipment of

goods or products transported by any railroad company, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 496
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 259, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the Wichita Falls Independent School District, to authorize the election of trustees, the issuance of bonds," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 496
Reported favorably and be not printed 546
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 649
Reported engrossed..... 794
(Died in House.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 260, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 2, 12, 13 and 15 of an act creating the Lubbock Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 496
Reported favorably and be not printed 547
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 646
Reported engrossed..... 709
Received from House.....1072
Signed1160
Reported enrolled.....1297

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 261, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Austin."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 496
Reported favorably and be not printed 601
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 623
Reported engrossed..... 699
Received from House, with amendments1072
House amendments concurred in....1082
Signed1187
Reported enrolled.....1297

By Senators Veale and Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 262, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a State Board of Control and to provide for the management and control of various eleemosynary institutions, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 496
Reported favorably..... 695
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 263, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Burleson Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 496
Reported favorably, with amendments, and be not printed..... 546
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 591
Reported engrossed..... 635
Received from House..... 684
House requests return for correction. 724
Senate grants request..... 729
Received from House.....1072
Signed1159
Reported enrolled.....1296

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 264, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 5 and 6 of Chapter 134 of the General Laws passed by the Thirtieth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to authorize any county, or any political subdivision of a county upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such county or political subdivision of the county, to issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such county or political subdivision thereof, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled and paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and to add thereto Section 6a, creating road districts, and making them bodies corporate, and creating the office of road superintendent in such road districts, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 496
Reported favorably..... 581
Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 816
Reported engrossed.....1052
Received from House.....1134
Signed1188
Enrolled bill in full.....1343

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 265, A bill to be entitled "An Act to declare it unlawful for any person, or the lessee, agent or manager of any corporation, by letter, word, sign, circular or in any other manner to direct or to suggest under threat of dismissal or other punishment, how, when or where any employe shall cash or receive money upon any checks, voucher or other evidence of debt issued by said person, lessee, agent, manager or superintendent of any corporation; providing for punishment therefor, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 496
Reported favorably..... 545
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 266, A bill to be entitled "An Act to grant a new charter to the city of Beaumont, in Jefferson county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 516
Reported favorably and be not printed 521
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 554
(Died in House.)

By Senators Sturgeon and Hayter:

Senate bill No. 267, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3385, Title 69, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, relating to local option, so as to except from the operation of the article of said title wholesale druggists selling alcohol to retail or dispensing druggists, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 516
Reported favorably..... 546
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Meachum and Mayfield:

Senate bill No. 268, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 6 and 11 of Chapter 94 of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, page 119, entitled 'An Act to define, prohibit and declare illegal trusts, monopolies and conspiracies in restraint of trade, and to prescribe penalties for forming or being connected with such trusts, monopolies and conspiracies, and to provide for the suppression of the same, and to promote free competition in the State of Texas, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith; providing venue; providing punishment for violations thereof, fixing compensation, and declaring an emergency.'"

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 516
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal..... 833
Bill in full..... 832
(Died on calendar.)

By Senators Meachum and Watson:

Senate bill No. 269, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for surveys within this State for the construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways, and for either or any of them, to prevent overflows, to procure drainage and for the improvement of rivers, creeks and streams by levees, or otherwise; to prevent overflows; to provide for the creation of a State Levee and Drainage Board, and defining and prescribing the duties and powers of said Board, and providing for the payment of their expenses; authorizing and empowering said Board to appoint a commissioner to be known as State Levee and Drainage Commissioner, defining his powers and prescribing his duties, and authorizing said board to prescribe his further duties not in conflict with this act, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation.. 516
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal..... 797
Printing part of report adopted.... 798
Bill in full..... 755
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 827
Reported engrossed..... 1059

Received from House..... 1133
Signed..... 1188
Enrolled bill in full..... 1315

By Senator Harper:

Senate bill No. 270, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent the neglect of children in the primary grades by excluding advanced students under certain conditions from schools having only one teacher, and to provide that trustees may make special provisions for the teaching of such students and that trustees of adjacent and convenient districts may provide joint high schools for giving suitable instruction in advanced grades or subjects; to provide that any person or persons above the lower limit of the free school age may receive instruction in the public free schools free of charge, in the subjects named in the law; to provide that a per capita fee of \$1.00 per year may be charged of pupils entering a joint high school; to provide that teachers may not lawfully attempt to give instruction in the public free schools in subjects in which they have not been examined; to repeal Section 100 of Chapter 124 of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 516
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal..... 797
Printing part of report adopted.... 797
Bill in full..... 756
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Real:

Senate bill No. 271, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the Penal Code of the State of Texas by adding thereto Article 812a, prohibiting the owners of sheep affected with the 'scab' or other infectious or contagious diseases from driving or permitting the same to be driven over or along any public road or highway in this State, or on or over the enclosed lands of another without the written consent of such owner, and prescribing a penalty therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 517
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 786
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Masterson (by request):

Senate bill No. 272, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of Kate Chambers

Sturgis and Stella J. McGregor, only children of Thomas J. Chambers, deceased."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs. 524
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 273, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Grandview Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 524

Reported favorably and be not printed. 546

Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 620

Reported engrossed. 698

Received from House. 1072

Signed. 1159

Reported enrolled. 1295

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 274, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a special road law for the county of Jasper, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries. 524

Reported favorably and be not printed. 581

Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 622

Reported engrossed. 709

Received from House. 1073

Signed. 1188

Reported enrolled. 1296

By Senator Hayter:

Senate bill No. 275, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define and punish the giving of false and contradictory evidence before a grand jury from that sworn to, and the evidence given in the trial courts of the State, and prescribing a punishment, therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2. 524

Reported adversely. 787

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 276, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of an act entitled 'An Act to reorganize

the Forty-seventh Judicial District and to create the Sixty-ninth Judicial District, to fix the time for holding the terms of the district court in said district, and to provide for the appointment of a district judge and district attorney in the said Sixty-ninth Judicial District, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts. 524

Reported favorably and be not printed. 545

Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 533

Reported engrossed. 582
(Died in House.)

By Senator Real:

Senate bill No. 277, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate bill No. 35, an act of the Thirty-first Legislature, and approved by the Governor on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1909, to read as follows: To exempt the counties of Val Verde, Medina, Terrell, Jeff Davis, Jackson, Hidalgo, Bandera, Van Zandt, Mitchell, Ward, Rains, Erath, Crosby, Kaufman and Bexar from the provisions and operations of Articles 5002 to 5042, inclusive, of Chapter 6, Title 102 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, amended by the Acts of the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Legislatures, relating to the inspection of hides and animals, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2. 524

Reported favorably. 580
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Terrell of McLennan:

Senate bill No. 278, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 13 of Chapter 139 of the Acts of the Thirtieth Legislature, on page 269 of the Acts thereof, approved April 18, 1907, relating to the manner of selecting jurors in all counties in Texas having a city or cities therein which contain a population aggregating 20,000 or more people, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1. 525
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Kellie (by request):

Senate bill No. 279, A bill to be entitled "An Act to encourage and foster the work of our State school of correspondence, known and designated as 'Cosmopolitical Correspondent College, 2806 North Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas.'"

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 551
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 280, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it an offense for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons engaged in the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, under the provisions of Article 5060j of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, to fail or refuse to file with the clerk of the county court of the county in which his business is transacted, between the first and third days of each month, all prescriptions upon which they have made sales, as provided in such Article 5060j, verified by an affidavit, and to provide a penalty of a fine and imprisonment and forfeiture of license for failure so to do, and to prevent such person, firm, corporation or association of persons from obtaining a new license for a period of two years after the forfeiture of same."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 552
Reported favorably, with amendments; be printed in Journal.... 784
Printing part of report adopted.... 784
Bill in full..... 759
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 814
Reported engrossed..... 1059
(Died in House.)

By Senator Veale:

Senate bill No. 281, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate the resurvey of certain blocks and sections of land in Swisher county, and to ascertain proper locations of certificates in said county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 552
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Peeler and Paulus:

Senate bill No. 282, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of bar-

bering, the registering and licensing of persons to carry on such practice, and to insure the better education of practitioners, and to insure better sanitary conditions in barber shops, and to prevent the spread of disease in the State of Texas; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 552
Reported favorably 700
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Peeler:

Senate bill No. 283, A bill to be entitled "An Act to lease to the board of trustees of the Confederate Woman's Home of Austin, Texas, certain described property belonging to the State of Texas, located in the city of Austin."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 552
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Peeler (by request):

Senate bill No. 284, A bill to be entitled "An Act concerning surety companies authorized to transact business in this State, and their agents, and to permit such companies and such agents to form an association for the purpose of gathering statistics, exchanging experiences, and ascertaining the fair and reasonable rates to be paid them for their suretyship, and to maintain such rates, and to prevent losses arising from dishonesty or dereliction of duty of public officers, trustees and others, and to prevent discrimination, favoritism or rebates, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 552
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal 796
Printing part of report adopted.... 797
Bill in full..... 778
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 285, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Val Verde county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 552
Reported favorably and be not printed 581
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 621

Reported engrossed 793
 Received from House 1072
 Signed 1159
 Reported enrolled 1296

By Senators Hudspeth and Senter:

Senate bill No. 286, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act defining and regulating fraternal beneficiary associations."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History 552
 (Died in committee.)

By Senators Weinert and Murray:

Senate bill No. 287, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to appropriate out of the general revenue of the State of Texas the sum of \$5000 for the purpose of having erected a monument on the public square at Gonzales, Texas, the birthplace of Texas independence, and dedicated to the memory of those who made this spot historic in the first battle of the Texas Revolution, and the further sum of \$200 to defray the expenses of properly executing the purpose of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 552

Reported favorably and be not printed 633

Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 630

Reported engrossed 699
 (Died in House.)

By Senator Alexander:

Senate bill No. 288, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to provide additional method of obtaining service of process on any foreign or non-resident corporation or any receiver thereof doing business in this State, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 552
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 289, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to provide a system of electric power, electric lights and waterworks for the purpose of supplying electric power, electric light and water to the State institutions, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs 584

Reported favorably and be not printed 789

Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1078

Reported engrossed 1116
 (Died in House.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 290, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act declaring corporations, receivers or other persons operating railroads in this State to be liable to employees for injuries received through the negligence of such employee, officer, agent or servant, or in case of death from such injury to be liable to the surviving widow and children and mother and father of the deceased; and if none, then the next of kin dependent upon such employee; prescribing the effect of contributory negligence and assumed risk upon the right of recovery; declaring void any contract, rule or regulation intended to enable the employer to limit liability; also providing that employer shall be entitled to set off against any claim any sum contributed by such employer to a fund provided for such cases, and which was actually paid to the injured party; also that nothing in this act shall impair any right under any other law of this State or of the United States or in any way interfere with any proceeding now pending in any court, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements. 585
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Watson:

Senate bill No. 291, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to authorize the incorporation of life, accident and health insurance companies, and defining same, and to authorize such companies to transact business in the State of Texas, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History 603

Reported favorably and be not printed 657

Called up; ordered printed in Journal 730

Bill in full 762

Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; laid on table subject to call 819-820

Called up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule sus-

pending: read third time, and
 passed 986
 Reported engrossed 1046
 Received from House, with amend-
 ments 1141
 House amendments concurred in . . . 1141
 Signed 1193
 Enrolled bill in full 1298

By Senator Kellie:

Senate bill No. 292, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act providing for better sanitation
 of incorporated cities and towns within
 the State of Texas by more efficient con-
 trol of sewers and sewer connection, and
 declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
 mittee on Towns and City Corpo-
 rations 603
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 293, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to limit the time within which
 the State or any county, city or town
 shall institute suit for any taxes now
 due or that may hereafter become due
 the State or any county, city or town."

Read first time, and referred to Ju-
 diciary Committee No. 1 603
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 294, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to amend Title 104, Chapter
 5a, Articles 5232b and 5232c of the Re-
 vised Statutes of the State of Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Ju-
 diciary Committee No. 1 603
 (Died in committee.)

By Senators Meachum, Willacy,
 Adams, Alexander, Watson, Masterson,
 Hudspeth, Mayfield, Murray, Real,
 Ward, Perkins, Kellie, Weinert, Stur-
 geon, Senter, Paulus, Bryan, Hayter,
 Harper, Veale, Terrell of McLennan,
 Holsey and Peeler:

Senate bill No. 295, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to authorize the Governor of
 the State of Texas to purchase and re-
 ceive transfer from Mrs. John H. Reagan
 on behalf of the State, of the books and
 papers of the Hon. John H. Reagan, de-
 ceased, and making an appropriation of
 \$10,000 to pay therefor."

Read first time, and referred to Fi-
 nance Committee 603
 (Died in committee.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 296, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter

102 of the Acts of the Regular Session
 of the Legislature, entitled 'An Act to
 promote agriculture and stock raising,
 and to prohibit the hunting with fire-
 arms or dogs upon the enclosed or posted
 lands of another, in all counties within
 this State, not specially named as ex-
 empted from the provisions of this act,'
 as amended by the Twenty-sixth Legis-
 lature, to provide penalties, and with an
 emergency clause."

Read first time, and referred to Ju-
 dicary Committee No. 2 637

Reported favorably and be not
 printed 656

Constitutional rule suspended and
 put on second reading; Senate
 rule suspended; read second time;
 committee report adopted; order-
 ed engrossed; constitutional rule
 suspended; read third time, and
 passed 650

Reported engrossed 794

Received from House, with amend-
 ments 1134

House amendments concurred in . . . 1138

Signed 1160

Enrolled bill in full 1349

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 297, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to diminish the civil and crim-
 inal jurisdiction of the county court of
 Crockett county and the county court of
 Edwards county, to conform the juris-
 diction of the district courts thereto, and
 to repeal all laws in conflict therewith,
 and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
 mittee on Judicial Districts 637

Reported favorably and be not
 printed 657

Constitutional rule suspended and
 put on second reading; Senate
 rule suspended; read second time;
 committee report adopted; order-
 ed engrossed; constitutional rule
 suspended; read third time, and
 passed 651

Reported engrossed 698
 (Died in House.)

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 298, A bill to be entitled
 "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the
 Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature,
 the same being an act to prevent the
 keeping of certain fruit trees affected
 with yellows, crown gall, black knot, or
 any tree, shrub or plant infested with
 or by the San Jose scale or other dan-
 gerous, injurious or destructive pest, etc.,
 and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs.... 638
 Reported favorably and be not printed 835
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 299, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Venus Independent School District, in Johnson county, Texas."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.... 661
 Reported favorably and be not printed 701
 Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 753
 Reported engrossed 837
 Received from House 1072
 Signed 1160
 Reported enrolled 1297

By Senators Murray, Weinert, Paulus, Veale, Harper and Sturgeon:

Senate bill No. 300, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the sale, disposition or removal of any and all property of the State of Texas, which is or has been used by the Court of Criminal Appeals of the State of Texas, at Tyler and Dallas, Texas, and to declare an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs.... 661
 Reported favorably and be not printed 701
 Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 728
 Reported engrossed 836
 Received from House, with amendments 1135
 Senate refused to concur in House amendments, and requests Conference Committee 1140
 House grants request 1177
 Senate adopts Conference Committee report 1177
 House adopts Conference Committee report 1178
 Signed 1193
 Enrolled bill in full 1335

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 301, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing and fixing the times of holding the courts in the Fortieth Judicial District of Texas, and providing for a longer term of court to be held

in Ellis county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts 661
 Reported favorably and be not printed 795
 Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 741
 Reported engrossed 837
 Received from House 1072
 House requests return for correction 1126
 Senate grants request and recalls from enrolling room (see resolution) 1126
 Received from House 1134
 Signed 1159
 Reported enrolled 1297

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 302, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 237, Title 8, Chapter 4 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, relating to resisting an officer in executing or attempting any process in a civil cause, and to protect collectors of taxes in levying on personal property of delinquent taxpayers."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 302
 Reported adversely 786

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 303, A bill to be entitled "An act to amend Article 243, Title 8, Chapter 4 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, relating to the definition of the term 'officer,' as used in this chapter."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 661
 Reported adversely 788

By Senator Bryan:

Senate bill No. 304, A bill to be entitled "An Act to allow all counties in this State to determine by a vote of the people as to whether such county shall have a hide and animal inspector, and to provide for filling such office, and providing the duties of such officer, and creating an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising 661
 Reported favorably and be not printed 783
 (Died on calendar.)

By Senator Ward:

Senate bill No. 305, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 2 of the special road laws of Johnson county, Texas, as enacted by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, by amending Section 14, by striking out \$60 and inserting \$80 in said Section 14, and by adding Section 19, prohibiting the obstruction of public roads and ditches; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 661
Reported favorably and be not printed 834
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 306, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the Governor of the State of Texas to convey to the Texas District of the German Evangelical Synod of North America about three acres of land out of original Survey 25 in the name of Anselmo Galvan, about five miles south of the city of San Antonio, in Bexar county, Texas; also about 9 6-10 acres of land out of Survey 26 in the name of Wm. Small, about five miles south of the city of San Antonio, in Bexar county, Texas," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Asylums 662
Reported favorably and be not printed 834
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 307, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the office of State Oil Inspector; providing for his compensation, and providing for the inspection of petroleum and its products used for illuminating purposes, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs 662
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 308, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the compensation of county commissioners of Cooke county, when acting as road commissioners and performing the duties imposed upon them by law or by the commissioners court, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Counties and County Boundaries 662

Reported favorably and be not printed 790
Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 747
Reported engrossed 837
Received from House 1072
Signed 1160
Reported enrolled 1294

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 309, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting Palestine, Anderson county, Texas, a new charter, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 662
(Died in committee.)

By Senators Willacy and Meachum:

Senate bill No. 310, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 157 of an Act of the Thirtieth Legislature, said act being entitled 'An Act to amend Article 651, Chapter 3, Title 21, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency.'"

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 715
Reported favorably and be printed in Journal 781
Printing part of report adopted . . . 782
Bill in full 758
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Cofer:

Senate bill No. 311, A bill to be entitled, "An Act to amend Chapter 75 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed by the Twenty-seventh Legislature, creating a more efficient road system for Grayson county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 715
Reported favorably and be not printed 797
Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 740
Reported engrossed 839
Received from House 1025
House requests return for correction . 1067
Senate grants request, recalls from enrolling room (see resolution) . . 1067

Received back from House.....1069
Signed.....1160
Reported enrolled.....1294

By Senators Real and Cofer:

Senate bill No. 312, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of training schools by the commissioners court in all counties having a population of over 50,000 persons for neglected and delinquent children in that county, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 715
Reported favorably..... 833
(Died on calendar.)

By Senator Stokes:

Senate bill No. 313, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting Palestine, Anderson county, Texas, a new charter, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations..... 715
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 790
Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 738
Reported engrossed..... 794
Received from House..... 752
Signed.....1041
Reported enrolled.....1118

By Senator Terrell of Bowie (by request):

Senate bill No. 314, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House bill No. 743 of an act passed by the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Texas, approved May 2, 1907, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the city of Texarkana, Texas,' and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations..... 715
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 795
Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 751

Reported engrossed..... 839
Received from House.....1126
Signed.....1193
Reported enrolled.....1298

By Senator Weinert:

Senate bill No. 315, A bill to be entitled "An Act prescribing rules and regulations for the government of the officers in charge of the different prisons throughout the State other than the State penitentiaries and reformatory, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Penitentiaries.... 801
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Adams:

Senate bill No. 316, A bill to be entitled "An Act prescribing the duties and powers of city councils of cities operating under Chapters 1 to 10, Title 18, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, empowering such city councils to require railroad companies operating within their corporate limits to keep and maintain lights at street and railroad crossings in such towns and cities, and to keep and maintain flagmen and watchmen at such crossings, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations..... 802
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 837
Constitutional rule suspended and put on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 826
Reported engrossed.....1051
(Died in House.)

By Senator Adams:

Senate bill No. 317, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Brown county, Texas," etc.

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries..... 802
Reported favorably and be not printed..... 839
Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....1016
Reported engrossed.....1046
Received from House.....1127

Signed 1187
Reported enrolled 1296

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 318, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to grant a charter for the city
of Corpus Christi, in Nueces county,
Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
mittee on Towns and City Corpo-
rations 802
Reported favorably and be not print-
ed 837
Constitutional rule suspended and
put on second reading; Senate rule
suspended; read second time; com-
mittee report adopted; ordered en-
grossed; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 818
Reported engrossed 1052
Received from House 1127
Signed 1193
Reported enrolled 1297

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 319, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to restore and confer upon the
county court of Kimble county the civil
and criminal jurisdiction belonging to
such court under the Constitution and
general statutes of the State."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
mittee on Judicial Districts 802
(Died in committee.)

By Senator Willacy:

Senate bill No. 320, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating an independent school
district to be known as Corpus Christi
Independent School District, and declar-
ing an emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
mittee on Educational Affairs 802
Reported favorably and be not print-
ed 845
Constitutional rule suspended and
put on second reading; Senate rule

suspended; read second time; com-
mittee report adopted; ordered en-
grossed; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 828
Reported engrossed 1060
Received from House 1127
Signed (see Errata).
Reported enrolled 1295

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 321, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating and incorporating the
Robert Lee Independent School District,
in Coke county, Texas, and declaring an
emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
mittee on Educational Affairs 981
Reported favorably and be not print-
ed 1044
Constitutional rule suspended and
put on second reading; Senate rule
suspended; read second time; com-
mittee report adopted; ordered en-
grossed; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 1012
Reported engrossed 1118
(Died in House.)

By Senator Hudspeth:

Senate bill No. 322, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating and incorporating the
Bronte Independent School District, in
Coke county, Texas, and declaring an
emergency."

Read first time, and referred to Com-
mittee on Educational Affairs 981
Reported favorably and be not print-
ed 1045
Constitutional rule suspended and
put on second reading; Senate rule
suspended; read second time; com-
mittee report adopted; ordered en-
grossed; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 1037
Reported engrossed 1118
(Died in House.)